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SUBJECT:      Applicant:      Rudko et al.  
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                  For:            ENDOVASCULAR TISSUE REMOVAL  
                                  DEVICE  
                  Group:         3731  
                  Docket No:    LE-204J

Dear Sir:

Our docket indicates that an Office Action is due in the subject application.

Please let us know the status of the subject application. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Kirk Teska

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